



KAZOO TIME

At Home Edition - #MCMAtHome

Let's introduce sound!

What is sound?

- Sound is energy made by vibrations.
- Sound travels by particles bumping into each other as they vibrate creating a wave.

Feel sound!

- Put your hands on your throat.
- Hum; what do you feel?
- Stay silent; what do you feel?

What's a fun way to play with sounds at home? A Kazoo!

Follow the instructions below to create your very own kazoo.

Gather materials:

- Toilet paper roll
- Wax paper, parchment paper, or tissue paper;
- Rubber band
- Decorating materials
- Coloring utensils

Construct:

- Color your toilet paper roll. Add fun decorations if you have them available.
- Cut a piece of wax paper (or other types listed above) so it will completely cover one side of your tube.
- Using a rubber band, secure your paper tightly over the roll. Make sure it's pulled taut for the best results.

Experiment with sound:

- Talk into the open portion of your tube! Try singing, try telling a funny joke. What other sort of silly sounds can you make?

Want more?

Check out our [Experimenting with Sound](#) activity sheet for more exciting ways to play with sound! Be sure to take pictures or videos and tag #MCMAtHome